Level 6B Water restrictions

Level 6B water restrictions are applicable to **residents** and **businesses** in the City of Cape Town as of **1 February 2018**. Water use should be **limited to human consumption**.

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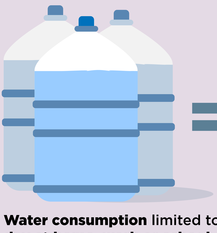

= **50 litres of water**
per person, per day

Water consumption limited to **50 litres or less per person, per day** at **home**, **work** or **school** etc.

2

Residential properties
as well as commercial properties

Residential units using more than **10 500 litres per month** will be fined or have water management **devices installed** on their properties. **Commercial properties** need to reduce usage by **45%** compared with the corresponding period in **2015** (pre-drought).

3

Irrigation - boreholes/ wellpoints

Borehole water use for outdoor purposes is **discouraged** in order to preserve **groundwater resources**. Wellpoints and boreholes should be **registered** with the **City of Cape Town**.

4

Water features

Using **municipal drinking water** for **ornamental water features** is not allowed.

5

Bathroom

Use grey water to flush toilets **only when necessary**.

6

Swimming pools
(public and private)

Top-up, filling or **refilling** with **drinking water** is **not allowed.**
Use of **portable play pools** is also **not allowed.**

7

Washing vehicles
(privately or at a formal/ informal car wash)

Not allowed with **municipal drinking water.**

8

Fields or gardens

No new landscaping or **sports fields** may be established, **except if irrigated only with non-drinking water.** Operation of **spray parks** is **not allowed.**